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## COMMUNIST RIOT IN PARIS.

### The Rioters Claim a Victory.

### The French Seize an English Steamer.

### Poundmaker Surrenders Unconditionally.

PARIS, May 24.—To-day being the anniversary of the fall of the Commune, the Communists of Paris attempted to hold a demonstration at the tombs of their comrades in Pere la Chaise cemetery. The police interfered, and prevented a display of seditious emblems. A serious conflict ensued, in which several men were wounded. The police finally dispersed the rioters, 30 of whom were arrested.

Later the police ordered the Communists to surrender their red flag. The latter refused and fighting ensued. The police drew their swords and drove the rabble against a heap of stones. The rioters used the stones, and one of the policemen was knocked senseless and another's jaw was broken. The Republican Guards, with fixed bayonets, charged the mob, wounding several in the foremost ranks, one fatally. Several reporters were arrested, but were afterwards released. One Anarchist received five sabre cuts, and others were fearfully gashed. The police were unusually severe, giving no quarter. The scene resembled an attack of the revolution. The shops in the vicinity of the riot were hurriedly closed, and the utmost excitement prevailed until a late hour. Knots of Communists gathered at various places to-night, vowing vengeance on the police and the government.

Midnight.—It is said at a late hour to-night that 5 persons were killed and 80 wounded during the rioting this afternoon.

PARIS, May 25.—The police expect and are prepared for a renewal of the Communist riot at Pere la Chaise cemetery to-day or to-morrow. The Communist papers cry for vengeance upon the police and troops for attacking and bayoneting the people who attempted yesterday to make demonstrations at the graves of the Communists in the cemetery. These journals, in order to incite the mob, falsely assert that the soldiers during yesterday's riot shot four Communists dead. Threats are made to attack the authorities with arms and dynamite.

PARIS, May 25, 4 p. m.—To-day's demonstration of Communists in celebration of the fall of the Commune has up to this hour been orderly. The government withdrew the troops and allowed the procession to march into Pere la Chaise cemetery with red flags. The police also left the Communists to themselves. Henry Rochefort also made his appearance, and was hailed by the paraders with shouts of *"Vive la Commune!"* The policy of the authorities of simply ignoring the demonstration, is praised. The Communists, not being opposed, vented their enthusiasm and alleged blood thirstiness in harmless shouts. They claim, however, to have overawed the authorities and boast of their victory.

### CHINA.

SHANGHAI, May 24. — The British steamer Waverly with a cargo of spelter has been seized by the French on the ground that her cargo is contraband of war.

### CANADA.

BATTLEFORD, May 25.—A priest is just in with a communication from Poundmaker to Gen. Middleton, who arrived here last night. Poundmaker offers to surrender unconditionally. His followers to the number of 2000 are now coming in to talk with Middleton. Forty half-breeds are with them.

Dumont, Riel's lieutenant, is still in the Birch Hills, with a few adherents. The priest brought him a letter from Middleton demanding his surrender, and promising him a fair trial. Being told who the letter was from, Dumont refused to take it, and said that the general could go to the devil.

Few weapons of any value have been yet surrendered. Alarming reports are current regarding Big Bear. There has been so much delay in proceeding against him that he has had time to recruit from every tribe in the district, until now he has 800 fighting men, all fairly armed. He declares that he will make a stand between Frog Lake, and at any moment.

### CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.—Dr. Buck, a well-known and highly respected citizen of Oakland, was shot on his doorstep last night by Henry F. Prindle, a member of Joe Hooker Post, G. A. R. The murder created intense excitement. Prindle was arrested. When asked his reasons for committing such a deed, he replied that Dr. Buck had seduced his wife while she was under his professional care. He says that his wife communicated the fact to him about eight weeks ago, and that the shooting was done after full deliberation. He felt justified in taking the law into his own hands. Dr. Wythe, a friend of the murdered physician, who for some time attended Mrs. Prindle, says that he believes her to be insane. Mrs. Hardenburg, the landlady of the house where the Prindles lived, pronounced Prindle's statement absolutely correct, and said that if Dr. Buck was shot, he only deserved it. The murdered physician was a native of Vermont. He had lived in Oakland eight years, was a widower and had a grown up family.

## SCURRILOUS LETTER WRITING.

### A Warning to the Local Scribbler.

In consequence of several letters making use of threats towards members of the Protestant Parish Committee of St. Jame's, Hatcham, and others, the Criminial Investigation Department have for some time been exercised in making inquiries as to their author, the names affixed to the letters containing the threats evidently being forgeries. The efforts of the detectives have at last been rewarded with success, and the following apology has been published in the local papers:—"To Messrs. A. J. Thorman, H. W. Sanders, J. J. Gay, J. Turner, T. H. Fry, A. R. Seaman, and Werter Smith members of the Protestant Parish Committee of St. Jame's, Hatcham. Gentlemen,—I, the undersigned John Smeaton, of No. 110, St. Donatt's-road, Lewisham High-road, late a Sunday-school teacher of St. Jame's, Hatcham, do hereby acknowledge with the deepest shame having written the disgusting and abominable anonymous letters which you have severally received for so long past, and that I also wrote the letter to the Princess of Wales wherein I fraudulently made use of the names of Mr. Sanders and Mr. Thorman and threatened the life of Prince of Wales. I do hereby tender to each of you and to such members of your families as I have so grossly maligned and injured my most humble and abject apology, and crave your forgiveness for having written such letters and for having annoyed you in other disgusting ways too filthy to mention. I admit that all the charges made by me are absolutely untrue and false, and were wicked inventions of my own. . . . . I again express my great and unfeigned sorrow and regret that I should have done you all this grievous wrong, and trust that you will be satisfied with this acknowledgment, and I assure you that it will be a lesson to me as long as I live, - I am, gentlemen, your most obedient and humble servant.

J. Smeaton."

## Eastern Canada Mail.

(Per Northern Pacific Railway.)

LINDSAY, May 14.—A young man named Edwin Brady, son of ex-Councillor P. Brady, had his right arm smashed to a jelly while coupling two Erie coal cars at the Midland station here. In reaching for the pin the bumpers of the cars gripped his arm, the whole force of the cars coming together grinding his arm to a jelly.

MONTREAL, May 14.—British immigrants have been pouring in here every day this week in large numbers, making in the aggregate two thousand two hundred. After a short stay they have proceeded to the west and northwest They are mostly in families, and the greater part seem to be well off and ready to go into farming. Some very substantial English families are stopping here to make inquiries as to where they should locate.

About one hundred children, from four to thirteen years of age, have arrived for adoption in country homes.

A deaf mute named Poirier was run over this morning by a train on the Grand Trunk and instantly killed.

Ascension day was observed here almost like Sunday. It was a statute holiday.

Mayor Beaugrand has threatened to suspend Dr. Loroque, whose absence from the board of health, owing to a sick headache, left the smallpox patients without a doctor for twenty four hours. The whole health department scandal will be gone over by a special meeting of the council on Monday.

LAKE HILL.—Mr. Ralph, C. E., has completed the subdividing and marking of the corner posts of this valuable estate, and the property will soon be placed upon the market at private sale on exceptionally favorable terms; a most advantageous view of the land, together with the adjoining estates, Swan Lake and Victoria can be had from Lake Hill heights which are easy of access; prices of each plot of about five acres will be given upon application after the 30th April. Subdivision maps can be seen at our office. District maps of the location can be had on application.

J. P. DAVIES & Co.

THE *Weekly Colonist*, now enlarged to 64 columns; reduced to $2 50 per year. Send for sample copy. 2t


NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

# The Rising Generation

sun should find you resolved to give Ayer's Sarsaparilla a thorough trial. It will cleanse and invigorate your blood, and restore the vital organs to their natural functions. Mrs. J. D. Upham, 231 Shawmut avenue, Boston, Mass., writes: "For a number of years I was troubled with Indigestion, and unable, without distress, to take solid food. After using Ayer's Sarsaparilla one month I was

**Entirely Cured."**

Mrs. H. M. Thayer, Milton, Mass., writes: "I have been very much troubled with torpidity of the liver, and Dyspepsia. Ayer's Sarsaparilla has cured me." Mrs. J. W. Bradlee, Hyde Park, Mass., writes: "I was greatly reduced by Dyspepsia, and was advised to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which entirely cured me." Mrs. M. F. Hamblett, 25 Lawrence street, Lowell, Mass., writes: "I was sick two years with stomach and liver troubles, and obtained no relief until I took

# Ayer's Sarsaparilla

follows generation, transmitting a legacy of good or ill, according to well-known physical laws. To the unfortunate sufferer from hereditary Scrofula, nothing can be more cheering than the assurance that in Ayer's Compound Extract of Sarsaparilla is found a constitutional remedy, which eliminates the poisonous taint, and restores to the blood the elements necessary to

**Life and Health.**

Alarie Mercier, 3 Harrison avenue, Lowell, Mass., writes: "My son was weak and debilitated, troubled with sore eyes and Scrofulous humors. Ayer's Sarsaparilla restored him to perfect health." Irving H. Edwards, Ithaca, N. Y., writes: "From the time I was four years old, until eighteen, I was subject to Scrofulous sore throat. Many a time my neck has been a raw sore, from poultices put on to draw out the inflammation. I took four bottles of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Since that time I have enjoyed excellent health."

and have never had the disease since, in sixteen years."

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass., U. S. A.

**For sale by all Druggists. Price $1; six bottles for $5.**

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## SUMMER STYLES 1885.

DURING THE PAST WEEK WE have received our full Summer Importations, comprising the latest and most fashionable Dry Goods obtainable.

# MILLINERY

This Department, in charge of a first class milliner, is replete with the latest and most approved styles Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats and Bonnets, Feathers, Flowers and Trimmings.

## MANTLES & JERSEYS

Just opened—Broche, Ottoman and Silk Manties, Street and House Jerseys, Blk and Colors, Braided and Plain.

## PARASOLS AND FANS,

Laces and Flouncings in great variety.

## UNDERWEAR AND CORSETS,

Full lines just opened. Ladies will please note that these goods are in charge of a lady assistant.

Ball's Health Preserving

## CORSETS.

Full Stock, at prices from $1.25 to $6.50.

## KID GLOVES.

150 dozen just opened of French Kid Gloves, Best Make.

Country Orders receive prompt attention.

Patterns forwarded on application.

## THE WHITE HOUSE

HUTCHESON, YOUNG & CO.,

Victoria, May 20th, 1885. my20

## "THE GARRICK'S HEAD,"

BUSH & McDERMOTT, - - - - Proprietors.

BASTION ST., VICTORIA.

A PIONEER HOUSE OF THE CITY. THE BAR is supplied with the Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars. HOT LUNCH DAILY. ap7tf

## ESTATE OF JOHN CASTINEAU,

DECEASED, INTESTATE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ABOVE estate will please to pay at once, and all claims against the said estate are requested to be sent (duly proved) to the undersigned.

JAMES C. PREVOST,
Administrator,
Victoria, April 16, 1885. ap17 3m

## R. J. TRUMBULL & CO.,

GROWERS, IMPORTERS,

AND DEALERS IN

SEEDS, TREES AND PLANTS,

410-421 SANSOME STREET,

San Francisco, California.

☞ ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUES for 1885 FREE on application. ap12w2m

SHIPS AND STEAMERS.

## "CAMBRIAN PRINCE," FROM LONDON.

CARGO FROM THIS VESSEL WILL BE delivered from Messrs. Turner, Beeton & Co.'s wharf, on MONDAY, the 18th inst.

Consignees are requested to present bills of lading to the undersigned, by whom delivery orders will be issued

FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE,
Wharf street, 16th May, 1885. my17

## FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

CARRYING H. M. MAILS AND W. F. & CO.'S EXPRESS AND NORTHERN PACIFIC EXPRESS.

THE PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIP Co.'s steamer

QUEEN OF THE PACIFIC.
CAPTAIN ALEXANDER,

Will sail from the VICTORIA WHARF, outer harbor, for San Francisco, on

WEDNESDAY NEXT, MAY 27TH, AT NOON.

Intending shippers are requested to make arrangements for freight as early as possible so that room may be reserved for their shipments.

Freight for shipment by bar requested to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 5 o'clock P. M. on Tuesday, May 26th.

For Freight and Passage apply to
my22 WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.

## CHEAP FARES FROM SAN FRANCISCO

THE STEAMER WILMINGTON,
Capt. Blackburn,

Will sail from San Francisco for Victoria on FRIDAY, the 22nd inst.

FARES--CABIN, $16; STEERAGE, $8.

For particulars apply to
TURNER, BEETON & CO.,
my12 Agents.

## STEAMER "JOE ADAMS" FOR SALE

TO BE SEEN AT DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.'S Wharf.

For particulars apply to
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE
Wharf st., Victoria, 18th May, 1885. my19 1w

## NOTICE.

"CAMBRIAN PRINCE," from London.

NEITHER CAPT. EVANS NOR THE UNDERsigned will be responsible for any debts which may be contracted by the crew of the ship "Cambrian Prince."

FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE,
Agents.
Wharf street, 11th May, 1885. my12

## $1.

OREGON RAILWAY & NAVIGATION COMPANY.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE THE PASSENGER Rate between VICTORIA and

PORT TOWNSEND WILL BE.....$1 00
SEATTLE.....$1 00
TACOMA.....$2 00
OLYMPIA.....$2 00

By the Steamers of the above Company.

JOHN MUIR, Traffic Manager
C. E. CLANCEY, Agent.
ROBERT IRVING, Victoria Agent.
April 1st 1885. ap1

WANTED.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

A MIDDLE-AGED MAN AND HIS WIFE, without incumbrance both well acquainted with farm work and dairying in Scotland, are desirous of getting situations in British Columbia. The vicinity of this city preferred; but would have no objection to the East coast or New Westminster district. Address, "G. C," at the office of this paper. my17 1w*

## STONE CUTTERS WANTED.

THE HIGHEST WAGES WILL BE PAID TO Stone Cutters by Larkin, Connolly & Co., Dry Dock Contractors. Apply at the quarries, Salt Spring Island, B.C. LARKIN, CONNOLLY & CO.
April 24th, 1885. ap25 1m

WANTED

A SITUATION BY A MAN THOROUGHLY COMpetent to take care of horses and is a good driver and gardener. Address "G.," at *The Colonist* office. ap23

WANTED

SITUATION BY A YOUNG MAN IN HARDware or general store; 8 years' experience as salesman and book-keeper; wholesale or retail. Salary not an object. Address "Salesman," *The Colonist* Office. my19

## OSBORNE BINDER.

MR. E. G. PRIOR, OF VICTORIA, IS SOLE Agent for the sale of our Binders, etc., in British Columbia. NO OTHER PERSON is authorized to receive orders for same.

D. M. OSBORNE & CO.
May 4th, 1885. my6dwlm

## J. & A. BOSKOWITZ,

JOHNSON ST., NEAR WHARF,

HIGHEST CASH PRICES PAID FOR FURS AND DEER SKINS. ap12 3m

FOR SALE—TO LET.

## FOR SALE.

A SMALL BOAT FOR SALE—
Apply at the
my17 3t ROCK BAY BOAT YARD.

## FOR SALE.

16 HEAD OF FINE WORK ANIMALS,
ONE SPAN WORK MULES,
SOME FINE BROOD MARES.
Apply at
my17 3t VICTORIA DRIVING PARK

## TO LET.

A 13-ROOMED HOUSE ON SPRING RIDGE, with an acre of land, barn and outhouses complete. City water laid on. Apply to
my5 1m WM. WHITTAKER, Johnson St.

SAW AND PLANING MILLS AT LANGLEY.

FOR SALE.

ONE-HALF INTEREST IN THE LANGLEY SAW and Planing Mills is offered for sale. The Mills are in good running order.

For particulars apply to
H. WEST, on the premises;
Or to Messrs. DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
ap22 1m Victoria.

## FOR SALE

A WELL-ESTABLISHED BUSINESS IN VICtoria. Also, a business on the East Coast of V. I
my22 1m ALLSOP & MASON.

## A GOOD BUSINESS FOR SALE And Store to Rent

IN A GOOD SITUATION FOR BUSINESS IN THE town of Granville, Burrard Inlet.
my22 2w Apply at *The Colonist* Office.

## MONEY TO LOAN

ON MORTGAGE AT LOW RATES.

TOWN LOTS AND FARMING LANDS FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS.

ALLSOP & MASON,
mh 1 Government street.

## FOR SALE.

THE NICOLA RIVER HOTEL AND RANCH together with growing crops, farming implements and stock-in-trade. Apply to
A. GORDON, on the premises.
JOHN GILMORE, Nicola Valley,
Or to JAMES PHAIR,
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## FOR SALE

1440 ACRES CHOICE DELTA LANDS 3 miles from Ladner's Landing on the trunk wagon road; two other roads running through the premises. Apply to
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de23tf Ladner's Landing B.C.

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ANYONE DESIRING ROOMS OR HALF OF A house can be well accommodated at STROMNESS FARM; large airy house, 16 rooms; five minutes' walk to the salt water; three miles from town; situated at the head of Victoria Arm, on the Burnside road. Beautiful lookout on the Arm; for invalids quite warm and sheltered, and in summer good sea bathing. Children will also be boarded and cared for. For further information enquire at this office. Terms Moderate. mh22tf

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## IMMENSE REDUCTION!

IN PRICES OF

# FURNITURE

## JACOB SEHL,

MANUFACTURER OF FURNITURE of every description, on account of increased facilities and larger demand, is now enabled to offer all kinds of Furniture at a Great Reduction from former prices.

**Bedroom Suites from $20 up.**

Elegant new designs in Diningroom Suites. Parlor Suits and Draperies to match on hand and made to order, which for style, workmanship and quality of goods are not surpassed on the coast.

CARPETS of all grades as cheap as any other house in the country can offer.

SPECIAL ATTENTION is called to the Woven Wire Mattresses which for comfort, cleanliness and durability are the best now in use. These Mattresses are manufactured here now; all sizes at about one-half the cost of imported ones.
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Which for Workmanship and Design are unsurpassed in this province, consisting of

BEDROOM SUITES,

EXTENSION AND PARLOR TABLES,

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Also, several large invoices of CHAIRS of all kinds, from a Kitchen to a first class Parlor and Office Chair.

Also, REED CHAIRS and ROCKERS.

Further, a complete line of the Latest Styles of

WALLPAPER,

WITH ARTISTIC DECORATIONS.

Alway on hand, the most extensive choice of

## CROCKERY & GLASSWARE

Platedware, Cutlery, Lamps and Chandeliers.

Further, CARPETS of all kinds, Cocoa and Hemp and Chinese Matting, Oilcloth and Linoleum.

Intending purchasers are cordially invited to visit my establishment, examine goods and compare prices before buying elsewhere and I am sure they will not regret it, as they will save money if they favor me with their custom.

☞ A Liberal Discount on IMMEDIATE CASH PAYMENTS
ap18 JOHN WEILER.

BEN. C. PRINGLE. J. E. McDONALD

## J. E. McDONALD & CO.,

THE VICTORIA

## SOAP MANUFACTORY

YATES ST., NEAR DOUGLAS, VICTORIA, B. C.,

ARE NOW PREPARED TO FURNISH IN QUANtities to suit, a superior article of

LAUNDRY, KITCHEN AND BATH SOAP,

Made from ingredients possessing only washing properties. This Soap does does not contain ROSIN. It will wash Clothing Clean without the aid of Washing Soda or Ammonia, and if the directions on the wrapper on each bar (to which please refer) are carefully followed more than one-half the labor of washing will be saved.

IT WILL REMOVE PITCH, PAINT AND GREASE If applied with a sponge We guarantee it not to injure in any respect the finest fabric or the hands. We are offering for sale SOAP, nothing more and nothing less, and hope that by fair dealing with everybody and in every particular to merit the patronage of the public and to make new friends.

J. E. McDONALD & CO.
Postoffice Box 235. ap19 3m

TENDERS.

## NOTICE

## TO CARPENTERS.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to Noon of SATURDAY, 30th instant, for certain Fencing to be done at Government House Grounds.

Specifications can be seen at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 2 nd May, 1885. my23

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

YALE DISTRICT.

Ferries On the Eagle Pass Waggon Road.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to Noon of

Monday, 15th June next,

For the privilege of OPERATING A FERRY on each of the four Lakes on the route of the Eagle Pass Waggon Road for a period of Twelve Months.

The Charter will include the use of the Boats and Appliances now upon the Lakes and the right to Collect Tolls over one or all the Lakes at the following rates, viz:—

2 Horse Team and Waggon.....$2 00
4 do do do ..... 2 50
6 do do do ..... 3 00
8 do do do ..... 3 50
Passengers, each Lake..... 25
Loose Animals, each Lake..... 25
Freight per 100lbs., each or all Lakes..... 25

Tenders must state the amount of rent proposed to be paid to the Government, and give the names of two responsible residents of the Province who are willing to sign a Bond for the sum of $500 as security for the faithful carrying out of the Contract.

All Officers of the Provincial Government, with their Animals and Freight, to pass Free.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 22nd May, 1885. my23

## NOTICE.

TO ROAD CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of MONDAY, 1st June next, for the construction of a Waggon Road via Marble Canon and Hat Creek, to connect the Lillooet Road with the Cariboo Trunk Road.

Specifications can be seen and forms for tender obtained at the office of the undersigned, at the Government Office, Clinton, or from Mr. James Campbell, Cache Creek.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, B.C., 30th April, 1885. my1 1m
(Inland Sentinel copy.)

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ALL OPERATIONS PERFORMED IN A SKILful manner. Dental Rooms—Denny's building, Government street. my31 1m

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REAL ESTATE.

Maps, showing the various districts on the Island and Mainland, the situation of desirable City Lots, Homesteads, Gardening and Farm Lands, can be consulted at their office. 1ots*

## FISGARD STREET ACADEMY

DAY SCHOOL—BETWEEN 9:30 A. M. AND 3 P. M.

INSTRUCTION GIVEN IN ARITHMETIC, ALGEbra, Geometry, Mensuration Natural Philosophy, Book-keeping and Latin, together with the common branches of education.

PRIVATE LESSONS given in special subjects, and Intending Candidates for Teachers' Certificates assisted in preparing for the examinations.

JAMES KAYE,
de24 6m Principal.

AMERICAN MADE BUCKEYE

## MOWERS REAPERS.

SOLE AGENTS FOR B. C.,

Matthews, Richards & Tye.

## TAYLOR'S SULKY RAKES,

GRANT'S FAN MILLS, PLOWS, ETC.

Matthews, Richards & Tye.

APPLY FOR PRICES.

HARDWARE, IRON AND STEEL—LARGEST STOCK IN VICTORIA. ap22 1m

ARCHITECTS.

## REMOVAL.

## JNO. TEAGUE, ARCHITECT

HAS REMOVED TO OFFICES OVER SHEARer & Page, London House, Government street. ap9

## THOS. TROUNCE ARCHITECT, ETC.

OFFICE ON KANE STREET, ABOVE DOUGLASS

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS CAREFULLY prepared for Public Buildings or Private Residences, and the usual business of an Architect promptly executed jan

## J. P. DONOVAN, ARCHITECT,

ROOM NO. 4, GALPIN'S BLOCK, GOVERNment treet. ap1tf

## THE WEEKLY COLONIST

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE IS

PERMANENTLY ENLARGED

—TO—

EIGHT PAGES

—OR—

64 COLUMNS

—OF—

READING MATTER

THE

SUBSCRIPTION RATE

HAS BEEN

REDUCED

—TO—

Two Dollars and Fifty Cents Per Year,

One Dollar and a Half per Six Months

Seventy-Five Cents per Three Months,

POSTAGE FREE!

To any part of the Dominion, the United States or the United Kingdom.

☞ REMITTANCES by Postal Order, Postage Stamps, Draft, or Cash.

## CROASDAILE & JONES,

Real Estate Agents.

CITY PROPERTY, FARMS AND FARMING LANDS

Throughout the Province for Sale.

MONEY TO LOAN ON APPROVED SECURITY IN SUMS OF $1000 AND UPWARDS AT LOW INTEREST.

OFFICE:—Corner Government and Broughton ap5 2p

## Victoria Theatre Co., Ld.

NOTICE OF CALL.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, Shareholders are hereby notified that the fourth Call of $50 per share is due and payable at the office of the Company, WEDNESDAY, the 27th day of May 1885.

JOHN J. AUSTIN,
Secretary & Treasurer.
Victoria Theatre Co.'s Office,
*The Colonist* Building, Government st.,
27th April, 1885. ap28 1m

## NOTICE.

A SITTING OF THE COUNTY COURT OF NEW Westminster will be held—

At Yale, on Wednesday, the 27th May, 1885.

And sittings of the County Court of Kootenay will be held—

At the West Crossing, Columbia River, on Monday, the 22nd June, 1885; and

At the East Crossing, Columbia River, on Thursday, 22nd July, 1885.

By Command.

JNO ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
B.C., 12th May, 1885. my15 1m

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, MAY 27TH, 1885.



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## *RUSSIA'S BANKRUPT CONDITION*

The wars against the French empire unquestionably made Russia bankrupt, for her silver rouble then went to a premium of 320 per cent., so completely was the currency swamped by over-issues of paper. But part of this depreciated paper was withdrawn by means of a funding loan, partly issued abroad. That was in 1817, and from that date until now the necessities of the Russian treasury have been met from time to time by large drafts upon the purses of wealthy and credulous foreign investors. The diversity of Russian borrowing has been somewhat wonderful, especially since the Crimean war. When the State itself could not find a pretext for coming upon the money market of Holland, England, France, and latterly of Germany, there was always a railway loan handy. By one means or another the treasury was replenished, and not only so—financiers and banking establishments at home were kept in good heart. The Crimean war added at least 700,000,000 roubles to the total obligations of the empire, including the new issue of bank notes, and Russia ought then to have stopped payment. She did nothing of the kind. She merely borrowed the more industriously abroad. Between 1859 and 1884 upward of two hundred millions sterling were raised in foreign markets on one pretext or another, and even that was by no means sufficient. The last war with Turkey swelled out the debt by about £100,000,000, broke down the rouble to less than two-thirds of the par value, and foreign money markets were not so ready as of yore in coming to to the rescue. The London market has been in great measure shut against Russian loans since 1877, and the only markets open on the continent—those of Berlin, Frankfort, and Amsterdam—have not been strong enough to take up the burden. The internal debt has, in consequence, been augmented, in spite of every effort to throw it upon the foreigner, and Russia is thus nearer her bankruptcy now, and much nearer than at the darkest hour of any early period in her history. With the rouble now worth three shillings instead of two, her total debt would exceed that of England; while, such is the poverty of her population and the rudimentary character of her trade, that her hundred millions of people are not one-half so well able to bear the load laid upon them as England is. Five and thirty years ago, in 1850, the interest and other charges of the Russian public debt were just one-fifth of what they are now, and the revenue was put down then in official papers at about one-half its present amount. The pace of the borrowing has, therefore been terrific, and there is reason to believe that it has almost exhausted the carrying capacity of the empire.

## *EDISON LOSES HIS CASE.*

Edison has lost his suit as to the patent on incandescent electric lights. It will probably be fatal to the company through which he was promoting the invention, and in which he seems to have sunk the greater part of what he made in former successes. Its shares at one time sold for $2000. There is an ancient fable that Prometheus, who first brought fire to the people of the earth, was chained to a rock in the Caucasus while a vulture plucked at his vitals, and ever since it has been the proverbial fate of other inventors to suffer poverty sooner or later, while others prospered upon the same inventions. Edison seemed to be an exception, but even he is financially failing. Richard Trevithyck, inventor of the first modern locomotive, floating dock, iron-ships, etc., died a very poor man. His misfortunes were as marvelous as his inventions The wealth of Edison's great company hung upon a thread—in this case a carbonized one. It will now be in order for the successful company to collect a heavy royalty from all firms who have in use the Edison incandescent light, it being clearly an infringement.

## *THE QUARTZ DISCOVERY.*

Elsewhere will be found an exciting piece of intelligence from the line of the Island Railway. The source of the gold which for many years has been creviced from the beds of creeks on the southern end of the island has been as anxiously sought for as the Philosopher's Stone, and the Spring of Eternal Youth were in the olden time; and, down to Friday last, with as little apparent prospect of being discovered. In 1864 a miners' rush to Leech river almost depopulated Victoria; and one year later a great excitement grew out of the discovery of a few specks of gold in some quartz that was found in the Goldstream hills. If the new find should prove, after a practical test, to be as rich as those who have made it profess to believe, the beneficial effect on every interest in Victoria will be incalculable.

## *THE COMMUNIST ROW.*

The Parisian police did a very unwise thing in interfering with the Communists at Pere la Chaise cemetery. The red flag is an emblem of revolution and terror; but it by no means follows that because a number of cranks display it, that the country is ready for a change. France will probably never experience another Reign of Terror. The masses are better educated than in Robespierre's time and will scarcely allow themselves to become mere tools in the hands of bloodthirsty demagogues. When Thiers put down the Communist rebellion in 1871 his success was due to the fact that the majority of the people were republicans as distinguished from socialists. France may turn back to a monarchy or an empire; but the Commune will never gain a secure footing there.

### A Card.

TO THE EDITOR:—The remark in your morning contemporary that my son had been "*re*-arrested" is totally untrue. He was not arrested in the first instance, and if the case lately decided in the police court was re-opened it would be shown on unimpeachable evidence that the horse was sick when he left the stables; the utmost distance he was driven was 45 miles; he had four "rests", and was taken out of the buggy twice and refused grass and water on both occasions. It is a false statement that the horse was driven to Henderson's or Cedar hill. The animal was treated in a kind and considerate manner by my son, and had he been in good condition when he left the stables would have suffered no ill effects from the drive. If the case could be heard again ample testimony will be forthcoming to establish the above facts.

D. CARTMEL.

ESQUIMALT, May 26th.

## THE QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY.

### A Holiday Thoroughly and Loyally Enjoyed.

### The Sports and Amusements of the Day.

The morning of the 25th, set apart for the celebration of the 66th birthday of Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria, dawned with leaden skies and drizzling rain, and the countenance of every one was very similar in consequence. This continued until between nine and ten o'clock when the clouds broke and the bright blue was visible through the rifts, brightening the hopes of the pleasure seekers. The base ball teams had proceeded to the ground on Beacon Hill before this, accompanied by large numbers of people. The weather continuing to brighten, at 10 o'clock several thousands were gathered round the players and scattered over the pretty grounds of the park. Four and six-horse coaches, carriages, express wagons and all descriptions of conveyances were employed in carrying passengers to Beacon Hill.

THE BASE BALL MATCH

commenced about 10 o'clock, the Amities going to the bat. By exceptionally good striking they succeeded in scoring nine runs before taking the field. The ground was damp and this, of course, was against the nine in the field. The Reds gave too many high catches and did not place their hits to advantage and only scored two runs. This continued with varying success until the third innings when the score stood—Amities, 12; Reds, 6. The play after this was much better on both sides, the sun getting out and the high wind drying the grass. Several splendid catches were made by the Amities, and when an event of this nature took place the crowd cheered lustily. This was as generously given when the Reds made a fine catch or a home run. The interest in the game was intense and the two clubs were vociferously urged to do their best by friends, many of whom were interested to a large extent in bets. We understand that a Seattle backer lost between $400 and $500 on the result. The Amities are entitled to great credit for their excellent fielding, the batting being first-class and many a home run secured on a good hit. Baker's pitching and H. Wootten's catching were excellent, and very fine play was made between these two and the 2nd base. Mr. J. Griffiths was referee and gave general satisfaction in his decisions. So disappointed were the Seattle club and their friends on the result of the game, which stood at the close 12 to 22 in favor of the Amities, that they wished to again contest for the supremacy yesterday, but to this the Amities would not consent. However, a match game will soon be arranged for, the contest to take place on the Seattle grounds.

THE ATHLETIC SPORTS.

At 11 a. m. the athletic sports were commenced on the track at Beacon Hill, and drew the crowd from the match. The prizes for these were keenly contested for, the specially good parts being the horizontal bar exercise and the foot and bicycle races. Mr. C. J. Phillips acted as referee with Messrs. Braden, Gowen and T. Russell for judges. The following are the winners in the different competitions:

Standing long jump, 3 entries—T. Deasy, 4; T. Gore, $2.

100-yard Race, 5 entries—J. McIntyre, $5; H. Hardy, $2.50.

Hop-step-and-jump, 4 entries—W. Spotts, $4; A. E. Cain, $2.

Bicycle Race, 2 entries—T. Gore, $5; G. Edman, $2.

100-yard Race (members of club), 3 entries—R. O. Robinson, medal.

Walking with Pole, 3 entries—A. E. Shore, $4; A. F. Elder, $2.

Quarter-mile Race, 4 entries—J. Scott, $7.50; J. McIntyre, $3.50.

Exercise on Horizontal Bar, 3 entries—G. Edman, $5; Weiler, $2.50.

1-mile Race, 7 entries—T. Watson, $20; R. Menens, $10; J. Rees, $5.

Sack Race, 100 yards, 3 entries—F. A. Elder, $4; E. Shields, $2.

Hurdle Race, 20 yards, 5 entries (To be decided by referee).

Consolation Race, 150 yards, 3 entries—H. Hardy, $7.50; A. E. Cain, $5.

THE SALUTE.

At 12 o'clock noon a detachment of the B. C. Garrison artillery, under command of Capt. John Nicholles, fired a royal salute of 21 guns from the batteries at Finlayson's point.

THE EXPLOSION

was the feature of the day's programme that excited the greatest interest, and shortly before the time appointed, 11:30, the crowd gathered on the banks and on the hill to witness it, deserting the base-ball match and sports to be in time for the event. The steam launch and boat hurried hither and thither, and every minute the crowd thought surely now is the time. They kept patient until after 12, and then one by one left the scene, greatly disappointed. A heavy ground swell had disarranged the induction wires, and it was found impossible to locate them in order to explode the gun cotton. The band which had been discoursing some choice music at last marched from the hill, followed by the greater part of the crowd, in order to prepare for the regatta at the Gorge. About ten minutes to one o'clock an explosion did take place, but it merely consisted of an upheaval of the water, and was witnessed by few people, but nothing on the scale that had been anticipated, and of course everyone, especially our American visitors, were greatly disappointed. There was no fault on the part of the gentlemen having the matter in hand, but was the result of the unfortunate accident to the wires.

THE REGATTA.

There was no disappointed individual at the regatta, and the programme was carried out to the fullest extent. Every available conveyance was pressed into service and an immense crowd gathered along the banks of the Arm, some in picnic parties, others in quiet nooks, while the greater majority were seated on the hillsides on either side of the Gorge bridge and on Curtis' Point. A popular conveyance to the scene was by the two barges towed by the tugs Lottie and Buz, and many hundreds reached the regatta by this pleasant means.

At the landing place a naval barge was anchored, and on this were the judges, referee, starter, members of the committee, officers of the navy and others. Across the stream were stretched a number of flags of all nations, kindly provided by the naval officers, while other bunting adorned the barge. The Gorge and widening of the Arm was a lovely and lively scene, small craft of every description darting here and there, the steam launches of the navy steaming in and out, the canoes of the noble red man with their dusky occupants lining the shore, while everywhere the scene was enlivened by the many hued dresses and fair faces of the ladies. There certainly could not have been a more naturally adapted place selected for the regatta, and evidently from the manner in which the arrangements were carried out they could not have been in better hands for direction. The militia band were stationed near the official barge and enlivened the scene with some choice selections.

The judges tor the races were Capt. Alington, Lieut. Jones, W. Bennett, C. E., C. E. Pooley, M. P. P., R. Brodrick being starter and T. C. Jones referee. A seven pounder was on the barge, and a shot fired to prepare, one to start, and another on the arrival at the winning post.

The opening event was the naval race for whalers. There were three entries for this race, two crews of six men each from the Satellite and one from the Constance. This was a fine race, the jolly tars pulling for all they were worth. The course was from the landing, around Deadman's Island and return. The race was won by No. 1 crew of the Satellite, the Constance crew a good second and the third boat a bad third. Prizes $12 and $5.

The outrigged skiff race was next in order, competed for by John Cotsford, J. Charters and W. Copeland. A good start was made, Copeland getting the lead, which was assumed by Cotsford before the turn, who maintained it to the finish, Copeland a good second, Charters distanced. Prizes $15 and $7 50.

The naval race for cutters with crews of twelve brought four entries two from the Constance and two from the Satellite, No. 2 of the latter having rather a clumsy looking craft. Like the other naval races this was hard fought for. No 1 Constance got the lead and maintained it to the finish. No. 2 Constance being second. Prizes $15 and $12.

Double Sculls—This was an open to all race for $30, and two teams entered, Messrs Law and Law, and Millington and McKay. The first position was keenly contested for, but the latter team got the lead, and maintained it to the winning point, winning easily.

Northern Canoes—This race was the most novel and interesting of the day, two crews entering, one of eleven and another of twelve. At the boom of the cannon, the paddles of both crews struck the water, splashing it prettily, and the canoes fairly leaped through the element. The twelve man crew steered badly and lost the lead, but passed their opponents on the home stretch. They were again passed by the eleven, and a fine contest was made to the finish, the eleven coming in the winners by half a length amid the plaudits of the crowd. This was a very exciting race the dusky northerners putting forth their every effort and urging one another on by cries. The prize was $2 per paddle.

Another naval race for any boat brought five entries, a galley, cutter and launch from the Constance and two cutters from the Satellite. There was also a keen tussle for the prizes of $18, $10 and $5 in this race, the three crews from the Constance coming in the winners.

The Four-oared race only secured two entries, the "Fairy" crew, Messrs. Balado, Cooper, Cumoi and N. Basso, and "Victoria" crew, Messrs. W. Cotsford, J. Cotsford, Copeland and Shields. The latter crew took the lead and had the race pretty much their own way to the finish. Prizes $50 and $20.

A canoe race for Victoria Indians, $2 per paddle, was competed for by two crews of nine each. Like the previous canoe race this was a most exciting one, and there was only a foot of daylight between the two canoes at the finish

A dingy race, short course, was contested by Messrs. Paine and Cotsford. The latter won the race by about four lengths. Prizes $10 and $5.

The last part of the programme proved a most amusing one, walking a greased pole, extended from the official barge, the winner to grab a flag at the end before disappearing. The competitors were scantily attired in tights or trunks, and created great laughter in their attempts to work a way to the $10 flag One would edge his feet inch by inch sideways until about half-way, when a wrong step or the slight shaking of the pole would precipitate him into the water. One jolly tar just missed the flag; another while falling into the water executed a splendid somersault; some would fall clumsily, while others made splendid headers. All bobbed up serenely, however, and took their chances until at last Chas. Tite, edging slowly past the middle, made a sudden walk and went below with the flag. He was lustily cheered.

This event closed the day's programme, a thoroughly enjoyable one, and the regatta committee are to be congratulated on the excellence of the list and the complete arrangements. The officers of H. M. Navy took a great interest also, and much is due them for the success of the regatta.

Barges, boats and launches, and many kinds of vehicles were again busy until a late hour in the evening transporting passengers to the city, while many, becoming impatient waiting a chance for a ride, walked home.

### A Missionary on the Rebellion.

In the May number of the the Presbyterian Record a Christian missionary delivers the following telling blows at the misgovernment which has set the Northwest aflame: "The rebellion in the Northwest is a sad blow to the country. Shocking neglect alone can explain it. Residents in the Northwest have been alarmed by the reports for some time past. Excited meetings were held last summer, and unboubtedly a number of the whites sympathized with the half-breeds. The thing, however, that is perfectly inexplicable is, why was not Riel arrested two months ago? As a former leader of rebellion, a plausible man, and of no mean capacity, he should dot have been allowed full play in the Prince Albert region. Our work will be seriously interfered with. Our Indian population is excited; and so, unfortunately, here and there, are our own Canadian settlers. Grievance and grievance-mongers are the order of the day. May the Lord avert still greater disasters from our country. It is a good land. May God give us wise and just rulers!"

OAKVILLE, May 14.—A fire occurred about noon to-day in the premises occupied by Mr. Noah Wass, Mrs. Jas. Fairfield and Miss Hemphill, on Colborne street, owned by Jno. A. Williams, merchant. The fire originated in the kitchen and spread rapidly, but thanks to the firemen, who worked very hard, and after an hour's fight extinguished the flames, the loss is only a few hundred dollars. The building was insured in the Merchants', of Waterloo, and the Waterloo Mutual. If the fire had occurred at night nothing could have possibly saved the whole block, as the buildings are mostly framework.

RIDGETOWN, May 14.—Moody & Sons' roller mill was discovered on fire at about 8 this morning. The fire brigade succeeded in saving it after heroic efforts. The loss is about $6000, but covered fully by insurance in the Royal and Northern Insurance companies.

## BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

EXCLUSIVE DISPATCHES TO THE COLONIST.

## CABLE NEWS.

### Provisions of the New Opium Treaty with China.

### Startling Statement About an Avowed English Enemy.

### Sunday's Seditious Riot in a Paris Cemetery.

INDIA.

SIMLA, May 26.—The troops of the second corps have been notified that they are no longer required for immediate service. This is the corps which the Duke of Connaught was recently summoned to command.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, May 26.—The director of the Stadt theatre of Hamburg has concluded a contract with Mme. Patti for the entire winter of 1885-'86 including tours through Europe.

The new opium treaty between England and China is not concluded as stated yesterday; but is almost settled. The new convention assumes the form of an additional article to the Che Foo treaty and abolishes all barriers heretofore existing against the free diffusion of opium throughout the Chinese empire. The treaty also settles the uniform rate of a lekin of 60 tales per chest and maintains the existing custom duty of 30 tales. This will allow opium to pass freely throughout China. It is probable that China will extend a similar system of trade to other goods imported by English merchants.

LONDON, May 26.—The press association publishes the following, which it says was obtained from a reliable source:—"Early in January Alfred Aylward, notorious in connection with the Boer rebellion, arrived in London from New York. He was entirely reticent in regard to his visit, but on one occasion he told a friend at a social gathering at his lodging in Piccadilly that before long he would again prove a sharp thorn in the side of the British government. He went to Paris and remained there a fortnight, staying at an American hotel in Rue D'Anour, and there registered himself as a surgeon dentist. He carefully avoided English and Irish haunts, ignoring the Fenian leaders. Our informant says that Riel's rebellion was the furthering of the movement among the French population in Canada for separation from Great Britain. That France encourages the idea directly by organized immigration and intrigue far more than English or loyal Canadians realize. The Riel affair is simply an experiment designated to accustom French Canadians to feel and think as a distinct race. About the middle of March Aylward sailed for New York via Havre, giving his address to a London friend as Jackson, St. Paul, Minn.

FRANCE.

PARIS, may 26.—In the chamber of deputies to-day M. Lacroix interpallated the government with reference to the occurrences at the Pere La Chaise cemetary on Sunday. He accused the police of povoking the disorders and denied the right of the government to interfere with the display of red flags on the ground that the law relating to seditious emblems has not been passed.

M. Allaintarge, minister of the interior, replied accepting all responsibility of the police. He said that even though some uncertainty might exist regarding the definition of seditious emblems it was the duty of the government to preserve order and to prevent the display of emblems calculated to incite civil war. He declared that he did not confound the democrats of Paris with a minminority of agitators who provoked disorder, and attacked the police, who were compelled to defend themselves. The police, he declared, had acted as veritable defenders of law. M. Lelievre urged the government to double its efforts to prevent a display of red flags and banners. M Lacroix made a motion declaring no law existed preventing a display of flags or emblems and condemning the violence of the police on Sunday. This was rejected by a vote of 432 to 44. M. Casimer Perier then offered a motion expressing confidence in the firmness of the government in enforcing a respect for the national flag. The motion as already stated was adopted by a vote of 388 to 16.

## CANADIAN NEWS.

### Interview of a Winnipeg Preacher with Riel.

### Hon. Mr. Mercier will Act as Counsel in the Rebel Trial.

WINNIPEG, May 26.—Rev. Mr. Pitblado, who was on board the steamer Northcote with Riel after the latter's capture, gives the result of an interview with the rebel leader which is in substance as follows: Riel is described as a cunning, intelligent man. He did not know what the authorities would do with him; he was forced to fight, he said, by the police and Hudson Bay officers who tyrannized over the half-breeds and abused their power. Speaking of the battle of Batouche Riel said he had 500 men engaged, of whom eight were killed and two wounded. During the fight he was present among the men in the pits. He spoke of the priests as opposed to any attempt on the part of the half-breeds to have their wrongs righted, and denounced them as tyrannical and interested solely in their own welfare. They turned the people against them because they assumed civil functions. The people forced him to fight, and would not let him go back to Montana. He was on his way to give himself up to Middleton, he said, when the scouts captured him. On the subject of his religious views Riel was very communicative. He declared his opposition to the Church of Rome, and said its priests had too much to do with civil affairs. A council at Batouche, he said, adopted a religious creed of distinct doctrines, which they wished to teach the people. "We believe in a form of church government," he said, "We prefer the Episcopal. We would like to see a head bishop for the Dominion or for the new world who would be independent of Rome."

In addition to the above named defence of the charge of treason, Riel said he should rely upon his loyalty while a subject of the English government. He concluded by saying: "I have been true to the half-breeds; I have not rebelled against government; I have my papers all right as a citizen of the United States and can hardly be a traitor to the Dominion."

MONTREAL, May 26.—F. X. Lemieux, M. P., and Chas. Kirkpatrick in defending Riel will have Hon. Mr. Mercier as counsel. They will insist that their client be tried by a jury of his countrymen, as a commission appointed by the government cannot but be impartial. It is stated on good authority that Dr. Fisell has organized the defense and will arrange for expenses.

HALIFAX, May 26.—Steamer Alert is almost ready to depart for Hudson Bay. Every body is on board to-night as she will probably sail early to-morrow. Capt. Adams, the well known Arctic pilot, who was to accompany the Alert, is not going. The reason is said to be a misunderstanding between Adams and the Hudson Bay Railway Co., in whose interest he was to make the expedition.

## AMERICAN NEWS.

### The Apache Indian Rising in Arizona.

DENVER, Col., May 26.—Last Saturday the Apaches killed two men at Cartwell and Peterie ranch, on the Gila, and Sunday afternoon killed Chas. Stevenson, foreman of the Alley & Ingersoll ranch, and Harvey Mooreland, son of James Mooreland, living between Grafton and Fairview. The bodies were found about six miles north of Grafton, still warm. Mooreland was shot severel times, and when found was lying on his back with an iron rod driven through his head into the ground. Frank Adams, son of George Adams, ranchman near Fairview, is supposed to be killed also, as his hat was found near the bodies of the two dead men. A special from Winslow, Arizona, says about 160 Navajoes, Utes and Piutes, all thoroughly armed with war paint, are camped near Hardy's. Last night it was currently rumored that they are making preparations to join Geronimo's band of Apaches. The latest information from the front indicates that the hostiles are on Diamond Creek, northeast of Fort Bayard, in the Black range. Col. Morrow's San Carlos scouts are in that vicinity, and Col. Biddle, with a battallion of the sixth cavalry is around Hillsboro. Lieut. Davis, with sixty White Mountain Apache scouts are on their trail.

FLORIDA.

KEY WEST, Florida, May 26.—Cubans here are parading the streets with bands of music in consequence of the reported landing at Santiago De Cuba of an expedition numbering two hundred men under Varola and Maceo which, it is stated, has since been reinforced by 1000 from that district. A state of siege has been decreed and the captain-general of Cuba has gone with troops to that province.


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WM. SMITH,
Deputy Minister of Marine.

Department of Marine,
Ottawa, 1st May, 1885. my27

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THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between the undersigned, Gideon Robertson and John C. McLagan, carrying on business as Brokers and Estate Agents under the firm name of Robertson, McLagan & Co., was, by mutual consent, dissolved on the 21st day of April last, John C. McLagan retiring from the business.

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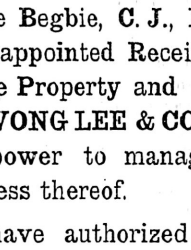
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F. REVELY,
Agent Dep't Marine and Fisheries.
Victoria, B. C., 16th May, 1885. my17-22-26

NOTICE!

Under and by virtue of an order made by Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, C. J., I have been appointed Receiver of all the Property and Assets of KWONG LEE & CO., with full power to manage the business thereof.

I have authorized G. E. VROOMAN and LOO CHEE to conduct the business at Victoria.

JAMES C. PREVOST,
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AN EXHIBITION OF THE

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Who will contribute greatly to the amusement of young and old by their funny efforts to exhibit the numerous articles on Paul's Cheap Stall.

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Catalogues of the Fine Art Exhibition and Museum will be ready in a few days.

Refreshments and Ice Creams.

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# Daily Colonist

WEDNESDAY MORNING, MAY 27TH, 1885.


## SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED

May 26—Str Yosemite, New Westminster
Str Amelia, Nanaimo
Str Geo. E. Starr, Pt Townsend

CLEARED.

May 26—Str Geo. E. Starr, Pt Townsend
Str Amelia, Nanaimo
Str Yosemite, New Westminster

### PASSENGERS.

Per str YOSEMITE, from New Westminster—Mrs G Rudlin, Miss Wilcox, Miss McCandlish, Judge, Mrs and Miss Crease, Mrs D Rae, Miss Jamieson, Rev Father Foquett, G Howeson, Rev Fraser, Rev Housman, T E Ladner, W L Johnson, H DeBeck, Gillespie and others.

Per str AMELIA, fm Nanaimo—Mrs Wolf, MissBremer, Mrs Mellado, Mrs Johnson and dau, Mrs Bell, Miss Muir, Mrs Moor, Mrs Wilson, Mrs McCutcheon, J Jenkins, Capt Evans, L Hall, Simmons, Forrest, Reddie, Burns, M T Johnston, Teague, Connolly, Young, Gray, Bligh, Metcalf, Traynor, Deansdale, Irwin, A Pender, Hetherington, Johnston, Muffrey, Grant, Stevenson, McPherson, McLay, Davis, Gribble, Lascelles, Adams and 75 others.

### MARRIED.

In this city, on the 25th inst., at the residence, Blanchard avenue, by the Rev. Mr. Pollard, Robert Croft, teller of the Bank of British Columbia, to Maggie, eldest daughter of J. W. Williams, Esq., ex-M. P. P.

### Letters Detained for Postage at Victoria P. O.

May 26, 1885

M. F. McMillan, Seattle
Wm. Stansforth, Otago, N.Z.
Mrs. A. F. Failing, Portland, Ogn.
S. Hill, San Francisco
Rev. A. E. Green, Naas River, B C.
Kwong On, New Westminster
Mrs. Armstrong, New Westminster
Dr. Walkem, Nanaimo
Mrs O. E. Harmon, Chehalis, W.T.
Mrs. L. Card, Seattle
P. O. Box 509, City
S. Hill, Boston, Mass.
W. J. Gage, Toronto
Miss M. Bogue, Cedar Mountain, W.T.
H. Hoy, (2) New Westminster
D. O. Sullivan, Seattle, W.T.
Miss C. D. Sinclair, Port Hammond

### Personal.

Mr. Justice, Mrs. and Miss Crease, returned from the mainland yesterday.

Rev. Messrs. Houseman and Fraser and Rev. Father Foquet, of Kootenay, were passengers by the Yosemite.

Bishop Rudley, Hon. A. C. Elliott, W. Duncan, Esq., J. McDowell and several other passengers, arrived by the Barbara Boscowitz Sunday from the north.

Mr. John Jessop, immigration agent, will proceed to Burrard's Inlet to-day on business connected with the London exhibition of 1886.

Mrs. Geo. Rudlin and Mr. T. E. Ladner came down from the Fraser yesterday.

Mr. J. G. Wilson, of Farwell, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Hemans, of Cache Creek, are at the Oriental.

Mr. Thos. Ladner, of Ladner's Landing, H. L. Debeck, of the Dominion Saw Mill Co., and Wm. Ross, ex-immigration agent of New Westminster, are at the Occidental.

Mr. and Mrs. Capt. R. A. Marden leave for San Francisco to-day by the Queen of the Pacific.

Hon. J. W. Trutch will proceed to the mainland to-day, to inspect the line from Port Moody to Savona.

### The Elder's Passengers.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 26.—The following passengers by the Geo. W. Elder for Victoria: J. A. Stadford, wife and child, Martin Keefer, Miss F. Isaacs, Mrs. R. Isaacs and daughter, and 2 children, Mrs. John Wilson, Jno. Wilson, Mrs Davy, E. Drum, J. B. Preston, F. Shafer, O. H. Goodwin, E. R. D. Stone, Mrs. B. Smith, D. McLean, A. J. Belmont, Mr. R. Dunsmuir, wife and daughter, Mr. Welch.

### The Court.

We notice that amongst those who were present at the reception given by the Countess of Derby, on the 5th May, were Mrs. W. J. Macdonald, Miss Macdonald and Miss Edith Macdonald, of Victoria, and amongst those presented at the Queen's drawing-room held on the 13th May at St. James' palace, were Miss Macdonald and Miss Edith Macdonald of British Columbia, presented by the Countess of Granville.


### We Lead, Others Follow.

The new line of attachments that are now sent with each "Domestic" are specialties that no other machine has. Call and examine at the office of

3 T. W. FLETCHER.


### Special Notice.

The steamer Eliza Anderson will resume her regular trips from Victoria to Port Townsend and Seattle, commencing Wednesday at two o'clock. *

MR. JOSEPH LOVETT was stricken with paralysis on Monday evening and his case is considered hopeless. The attack gave signs of its approach some days ago. Mr. Lovett is a native of Long Island and was a leading saloon-keeper in San Francisco from 1849 to 1858. In the latter year he went to Semiahmoo, W. T. and in 1860 setiled in Victoria, where he has since resided.


BALDNESS may be avoided by the use of Hall's Hair Renewer which prevents the falling out of the hair, and stimulates it to renewed growth and luxuriance. It also restores faded or gray hair to its original dark color, and radically cures nearly every disease of the scalp.


A CONVENIENCE.—Arrangements are now being made between the C. P. N. Co., the O. R. & N. Co., and the Victoria Transfer Co:, whereby passengers to any point may have their baggage checked to destination from their residences. This is the system in vogue in other large cities, and will no doubt be a great convenience to the general traveling public.

IMPROVEMENTS.—Mr. Teague advertises for tenders for the erection of a two-story brick building in the northwest corner of Fort and Broad streets. J. D. Pemberton, Esq., will commence the erection of a new residence at Gonzales, overlooking the straits.

TO ARRIVE.—The steamer Olympian was expected at Port Townsend last night or this morning. We understand that Capt. Wilson will command that steamer again, and an abler or more obliging captain could not be selected for the Sound route.

NEW WESTMINSTER farming lands for sale by Rand Bros., Real Estate Brokers, New Westminster B. C. *

MULHALL'S Dictionary of Statistics at T. N. Hibben & Co.'s.

## PRESUMABLY RICH STRIKE

### Of Gold-Bearing Quartz

### On the Island Railway

### Within Ten Miles of Victoria.

Recently the workmen in making a rock-cutting on the Island railway near the falls on Goldstream passed through several well-defined veins of favorable-looking quartz, but they attracted little or no attention. On Friday, Chief Engineer Hunter, whose Cariboo experience is of value to him—visited the cutting and observing the quartz suggested that it should be examined to ascertain its value. Several pieces were accordingly picked up, and to the surprise of all present proved to be

RICH IN GOLD!

One piece about the size of a man's fist was brought to this office last night. It is thickly

STUDDED WITH THE PRECIOUS METAL

which can be plainly seen with the naked eye. Other pieces contain the gold in minute specks and have evidently been broken from the vein by the blasts. A great many years ago free gold was found in quartz veins near Goldstream, and several companies to work them were formed; but capital was wanting and the companies fell to pieces before the veins had been thoroughly tested. About the same time what were supposed to be

PLACER DIGGINGS

were discovered on Leech river. Hundreds flocked thither and a town grew up at the junction of Wolf creek and Leech river. Many fine pieces were obtained by crevicing in the rocky bed of the creek. Sam. Booth, a much respected resident of Victoria, found a

NUGGET THAT WEIGHED $70,

and a former man-o'-war sailor named McDonald found a piece that weighed $110. Nuggets weighing from $5 to $20 were common. San Juan river, further west, was also ransacked for the precious metal and many fine nuggets were found. But the diggings were soon exhausted and the prospectors returned to town disappointed and out of pocket. It was always believed that if the source of the nuggets could be reached a rich find would be made. Half-a-dozen old miners have remained in the locality

MAKING GRUB

and vainly searching for the fountain head. It may be that the Island railway has tapped the long-sought lead. Who will venture to estimate the value of the discovery of a vein of gold-bearing quartz within ten miles of Victoria? The lead is outside the Island railway belt and has been staked off and christened

THE TRIUMPH LODE.

Other and richer developments are anticipated and the town to-day and for many succeeding days will be thrown into a mild state of excitement over what may yet prove to be the most important discovery ever made in the province.

### The Queen's Birthday.

AT NANAIMO

on Saturday the day was celebrated by a large list of aquatic contests and athletic sports, and in the evening a "hop" closed a very pleasant day. During a wrestling match Mr. D. Williams broke his leg, which was set by Dr. Davis, who was on the grounds. In the horse race, "Sleepy Dan" got away badly with "Honest John" and Victorians lost heavily on their horse.

AT QUAMICHAN

a public pic-nic was held on Monday, combined with an interesting list of sports, good prizes being given for competition. The day was closed by a largely attended ball in the evening.

AT MAPLE BAY

a largely attended and successful pic-nic was held. A base ball match between the local nines was the event of the day, and a very pleasant time was generally spent.

AT SHOAL HARBOR

residents of North and South Saanich assembled in large numbers to celebrate the day by a pic-nic and sports. A most bountiful spread was provided, such a one as only the generous people of Saanich know how to lay before a hungry man, and this was generously partaken of. So soon as this was accomplished, dancing was indulged in on the large platform erected, and the athletic sports of the day proceeded with. A delightful day was spent by those who had the good fortune to be present, and it was unanimously decided to make the pic-nic an annual occurrence.

### Dominion Surveys.

Capt. Deville and his associates, Messrs. Klotz and Drummond, have been awaiting the arrival of telegraph instruments and catalogues before commencing operations to determine the longitude of this city with Greenwich. However both, arrived yesterday and Mr. Klotz will leave for Seattle to day to begin the task. The base of operations may be changed to Kalama on account of the uncertain atmosphere of the Sound. Capt. Deville has been detained owing to the non arrival of the instruments, but will probably leave for Ottawa to-day, via the Canadian Pacific route.

VALUABLE RESIDENCE PROPERTY.—J. P. Davies & Co. will offer on the 2d of June 14 desirable town lots on the James Bay side. These lots are near the new wharf, and possess every requisite for residences.

EASTERN SYMPATHY.—The workingmen of Quebec, at a recent meeting, passed a resolution requesting the government to prohibit the importation of Chinese labor into the Dominion.

TIME CHANGED.—The time table of the O. R. & N. Co. has been changed for the time being, in order that the Geo. E. Starr may make direct connections at Tacoma.

ANTI-CHINESE.—The committee of the anti-Chinese union met yesterday evening and approved of a draft of a constitution for adoption at the public anti-Chinese meeting to be held at Harmony hall, Thursday night at 7.30.

IMPROVED farms in various localities for sale by Rand & Lipsett, Real Estate Brokers, Victoria.

SHANNON FILES complete at T. N. Hibben & Co.'s. †

OFFICE SUPPLIES AT FERGUSON'S.

### What Some People Say.

That Londoners believe the Pall Mall Gazette has been bought by the Russian government.

That quite a number of hats were put on with shoe-horns yesterday morning.

That the match race advertised for the driving park this afternoon, is declared off.

OOLACHANS! OOLACHANS! FROM NAAS RIVER, IN 25, 50 AND 100 LB KEGS, AT SAUNDERS' GROCERY, JOHNSON STREET.

That Mr. F. Paine has opened his Barber Shop at the corner of Waddington alley and Johnson street, and will be most happy to meet all his old friends and acquaintances. 1m

That an infant was left in its carriage for nearly an hour by its forgetful mother, who had bet 25c on the baseball match, and was absorbed in the progress of the game. However, it was looked after by a young lady more thoughtful than its parent.

That a beautiful case of pictures have been placed on each of the steamboats by Hall & Lowe the photographers as a sample of their work. Passengers will do well to examine them. *

That the latest attraction at the Royal Hotel is another of Brunswicke & Balke's monarch billiard tables. 2m

That strawberries have dropped 100 per cent. since Monday.

That only two plug hats returned with the only dude band from the Nanaimo sports. The others were "mashed."

WHAT THEY SERVE AT THE QUEEN CHOP HOUSE—OYSTERS, LAMB'S FRY, CHICKENS, SWEET BREADS, CALF'S BRAINS, STEAKS AND ALL VEGETABLES OF THE SEASON. TELEPHONE CALL 58.

OOLACHANS FROM NAAS RIVER. THIS YEAR'S CATCH, AT SAUNDERS' GROCERY, JOHNSON STREET.

That Brewster & Co. will sell to-day fresh strawberries for 15 cents per box. 1t

That the attendance at the schools and workshops yesterday was light. The Queen's Birthday is responsible.

THAT THE QUEEN CHOP HOUSE SERVES THE FINEST DINNER IN THE CITY FROM 4 TO 8 O'CLOCK. SUNDAY DINNER A SPECIALTY. FAMILIES ACCOMMODATED IN PRIVATE DINING ROOMS.

That Jos. Wriglesworth, cor. Yates and Blanchard streets, has SAANICH LIME on hand and for sale in quantities to suit.

That book and job printing and lithographic work of all kinds are executed at *The Colonist* office.

### Marine.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 26.—Sailed—Steamer Geo. W. Elder, Victoria.

The British ship Albula, Capt. Passmore, 34 days from Acapulco, arrived in the roads yesterday, seeking.

The steamship Wilmington, Captain Blackburn, arrived in Royal Roads Monday night, and came into the harbor yesterday morning. She left for the Sound at 11 a. m.

Bark Julia Ford, Capt. Burkman, arrived in the roads yesterday morning. She will load Wellington coal for Honolulu.

The Queen of the Pacific sails at noon to-day for San Francisco.

BRUTAL PARENT.—At Beacon Hill on Monday morning, while one of the bicyclists was practicing on the track he was unfortunate enough to run over a little boy, knocking him down. The wheeler was thrown from his bicycle, but escaped unhurt, and immediately went to see if the child was hurt. A lady picked the little fellow up and tried to quiet his cries, he fortunately having escaped with a few bruises. While this was being done a man, who claimed to be the father of the youngster, rushed up, grabbed the child and immediately commenced administering severe punishment in the usual style for infants. This brutal act, after the child had escaped perhaps death, enraged the crowd, and especially the lady who had taken it in charge, who, won anlike, "gave him a piece of her mind." The man threatened to strike her, but had he done so there were many in the crowd who would have helped to give him a deserved thrashing.

RETURNED.—The balance of the defeated club returned to Seattle to-day. Without being harsh we might say that they came over here confident of badly defeating the Amities, and return home rather crest-fallen with the result. The Amities put a very strong team into the field, and the Reds came over with their "crack" nine. The outcome of the game actually places the Victoria Club the champions of the province and Washington Territory, as the vanquished nine had hitherto laid claim to such an honor. The Amities are to be heartily congratulated. While flushed with success they should not forget to keep up hard practice, so that the return match may be even a greater victory.

GOT THE BEST OF HIM.—At the corner of Government and Fort streets yesterday afternoon, a Chinaman was thrown from his horse and a white man named Robert Cluney undertook to ride the animal. The horse was evidently not in the Chinaman's possession very long, for he was very frisky, and after getting upright and downright several times, succeeded in pitching Cluney over his head, breaking his forearm and severely bruising him. He was taken to Dr. Taylor's office where his arm was set, and then conveyed to his hotel. He will not undertake to ride any kind of a horse for a while.

THE ROLLER RINK.—This new means of exercise and amusement was opened on Monday night by an exhibition of skating by the Chicago champion, Prof. Kirkham, who executed some remarkable movements on the treacherous rollers. Last night he appeared as the dude on skates and convulsed the audience with his representation of that nimless individual learning the art of keeping upright on a pair of roller skates. The rink is an extensive one and will soon become a popular amusement.

CASUALTIES. — Several accidents occurred on Monday, but luckily did not result seriously. A number of runaways took place, a carriage or two upset, but all escaped without injury. The landing stage at the Gorge broke down, but a few wet feet were the only result. One of the barges on the first trip showed a disposition to go ashore and also to demolish Point Ellice bridge, but only succeeded in breaking the temporary wood work of the barge.

MR. HALFENNY leaves on the Rithet this morning with a party of half-a-dozen for Alberni, via the Nanaimo route.

THE news from the gold diggings on the Skeena tributaries is encouraging; but operations are retarded by high water.

SEVERAL first-class residences in the city for sale by Rand & Lipsett.

IMPERIAL TRACING CLOTH AND DRAWING PAPERS AT FERGUSONS.

BASE BALL AND CRICKET GOODS AT REDUCED RATES AT FERGUSON'S.

## ALARMING ACCIDENT TO THE NORTH PACIFIC.

### Miraculous Escape of Passengers and Crew.

The steamer North Pacific is a wooden built side wheel steamer of about 500 tons with strong American engines and is owned by the O. & R. N. Co. Last Friday morning just as she was starting out on her usual voyage, her cross head broke; but as the engine was immediately stopped no further damage occurred. Orders were immediately given to the Albion Iron Works for new cross heads, which were fitted into position, and the boat started out at 4 a.m. Tuesday bound for Tacoma and intermediate points. She carried the mails, had about 50 passengers and more freight than usual. Capt. Thos. Wilson was in charge and everything went all right until she reached a point off Trial Island about 9 miles out. The second engineer was then in charge of the engines, when all at once a loud crash as though a thunderbolt had struck the boat woke everyone up and found the passengers running about in a very excited state, many of our Celestial brethren thinking their time had surely come. The first engineer, Thos. Pearce, bounded to the engines and stopped them at once, although in doing so he exposed himself to much risk, as pieces of the engines and shafting were flying about in all directions and above him was the scalding steam escaping from the broken cylinder. This shows Mr. Pearce to be the right man in the right place, and had he not stopped the engines at his own risk, it is difficult to form an estimate of what the casualties might have been. After the steam had been turned off the headway of the boat was soon stopped, and as soon as possible the cause and effect of the damage were looked into. The cross heads were again the cause of the accident. The piston rod was bent as though it were a piece of thin wire and carried away the cylinder cover. Large pieces of cylinder broke off and scattered in all directions. Prior to the steam being shut off the walking beam much to the consternation of all beholders was throwing itself about in all directions and it is owing to its action that so much damage was done. No doubt from a financial standpoint damage enough has been done and yet we have good cause to be thankful in not having to chronicle the loss of any lives It is truly wonderful that such is the case, when it is considered that pieces of engine and cylinder from 400 to 600 lbs. weight were thrown upon the hurricane deck which forms the roof to some of the state rooms, but through a kind interposition of Providence none of these missiles reached the skylights and beyond a bad scare nobody was hurt.

As it was found impossible to proceed the purser was lowered in a boat and made for Beacon Hill and from thence hurried into the city. As soon as the Geo. E. Starr became cognizant of the facts it got up steam and immediately proceeded to the rescue. In the meantime the North Pacific had drifted with the tide towards Esquimalt and was nearing the rocks. Had a wind suddenly sprung up the crew appear to think not many would have been left to tell the tale. But weather favored them, and the Geo. E. Starr quickly overtook the disabled steamer. A line was soon made tant, and by nine o'clock both vessels were lying alongside the wharf.

The passengers, mail, and cargo were immediately transferred to the G. E. Starr, and the Olympian, now on her way from San Francisco where she has been undergoing repairs on the drydock, is to take the place of the North Pacific. The latter boat came here in 1871, has been making about three trips per week between this point and the Sound for a long time and has been phenomenally successful. It is somewhat difficult to get at the precise cause of the accident, but it is said by those who should know that it was caused by the engine being out of line. The damage is roughly estimated from $8,000 to $10,000. It is surmised that she is fully insured.

### The Interior.

(Sentinel.)

Since publishing in our last a number of cases of extortion upon freight coming over the railway we have been furnished with other figures, etc., but must confine ourselves to a few noted charges: One bill before us is 1 pk of leather, 185 lbs., freight $8.10; another 2 pks of leather, 390 lbs., $16.60; one of our hotel keepers got a bale of mattresses, weighing 180 lbs, and had to pay $14 40 for freight to Port Van Horne. We need not dwell upon extortionate charges, the whole inland country is familiar with the 'gouging.' By the way, we are informed that a number of persons have decided to keep back shipments over the railway until after July 1st, when it is expected a reduction will take place—unless Onderdonk & Co. can influence the government to grant further favors.

Spallumcheen correspondence reports the crops looking remarkably well, notably the fall wheat of Messrs. Fortune & Harland, and Messrs. Lumby & Bennett; the ground was getting rather dry until two days ago when a refreshing rain set in. Apple trees planted last year appear to be in a most thriving condition. There is a large quantity of last year's grain, wheat and feed, still on hand, and the steamer Spallumcheen running three times a week is taking down full loads.

Dewdney is becoming very popular with all straight going people. "Justitia fiat" is the motto he is bound to carry out. Rev. Mr. Shildrick and his wife have come to take up their residence among us. I also notice a brother of Dr. Hanington's in the valley. Messrs. Postill's saw and flour mills are doing good work, and they are making large shipments of lumber and flour to Eagle Pass; they had their nice two story cottage burnt a short time ago, but an equally pretty one has sprung up—phœnix-like from the ashes. It is surprising how we have been growing lately. There are three blacksmiths, I think about a dozen carpenters, a firm of wagon makers and is harness maker. Mr. G. Furstenau is building a fine hotel very much needed for the traveling public.

A MUCH FINED LANE.—John Lane, who was charged in the police court yesterday morning upon two counts, and remanded until to day was admitted out on bail. He was immediately re-arrested by officer Campbell and taken to Esquimalt, where he was charged with furious driving and fined $20 and costs.

BANQUETED.—The Amities entertained the Seattle Reds at dinner at the Grand Pacific hotel on Monday evening. About sixty persons sat down altogether and a very pleasant evening was spent, speeches being made by the officers and songs by various of the guests.

LAWN TENNIS SETS AT FERGUSON'S.

## A MYSTERY OF THE SEA.

### The Body of a Young White Girl Washed up at Race Rocks.

What family living on or near the Straits of Fuca has lost a young girl, of comely features, aged about 18 years. Mr. Argyle keeper of Race Rocks light, reports that on the 25th April there was found on the rocks one morning the nude body of a young white girl. Both legs were gone below the knee, but the face was comparatively uninjured, and the long black hair hung in a mass down the back. The description given above is vouched for by the keeper, who viewed the remains. In the absence of any trinket or article of clothing identification is probably out of the question; and the matter may ever remain a mystery.

### Municipal Police Court.

[Before Mr. Edwin Johnson.]

The orchestra seats in the civic justice hall were all taken up yesterday by a medley of whites, Indians and Chinese.

Ah Chong was fined $5 for removing swill contrary to by-law.

Lewis Freezy and Jimmy Chickens, who continually imbibe the forbidden fire-water, paid their $5 quota to the police funds with pleasant *sang froid*.

Mike McGinty, Thomas Hamilton, Donald Cameron, Thos. Jackson and Edward Anderson, for celebrating the 25th by imbibing too much whiskey, were each allowed to pay $5 to the civic finances. Robert Stenhouse again was charged with drunkenness and filthy language, and was fined $7 or one week.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

John Lane was charged with cruelty and unnecessarily beating a horse belonging to the Transfer Co. while it was in his charge as driver.

Supt. Bloomfield asked that the case be adjourned to get further evidence, and personal bail was accepted to the amount of $50.

DISTURBING THE PEACE.

Joseph Carter, charged with obstructing the public highway by challenging pedestrians to fight on Saturday night last, was fined $5 and $1 costs or one week's incarceration. Mr. Percy Blanchard appeared for the prisoner.

ASSAULT.

John Lane was charged with assaulting John Henderson, the manager of the Transfer Co.'s stables, by striking him in the face. The prisoner returned a horse to the stables, ran away and was followed by Mr. Henderson, and the prisoner turned round and struck him in the face, giving him a black eye.

The case was adjourned for one day.

THE DUDES.—The Amateur band, which accompanied the excursionists to Nanaimo on Friday last, created great amusement in that city by their novel appearance. Each member was provided with a plug hat, and before parading through the town, the only colored B. C. drum-major was also furnished with a plug, a flowing linen duster and a very large scythe. Thus attired and armed, he headed the band and procession of small boys through the principal streets, to the infinite amusement of the latter. The drum major created a sensation much greater than the Zouave who headed Baird's minstrel band here a week ago, who was an imitation of the Amateur band colored leader.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—A most distressing accident occurred during the progress of the regatta on Monday. Chas. Swan, coxswain of the cutter of the Satellite, was standing up in the boat just as the starting gun for the canoe race was fired, and part of the charge struck him in the face, entering his eyes. It was thought at first that he was blinded, but this was found not to be the case. Dr. Hickey, of the naval hospital, was present and attended the injured man, who was removed to the hospital. The accident was a most painful one, and will probably disfigure the unfortunate man for life. Much sympathy is expressed for the sufferer. The accident was the only one that occurred during the regatta.

HYMENEAL.—The marriage ceremony between Mr. Robert Croft, of the Bank of British Columbia and Miss Maggie, eldest daughter of J. W. Williams, Esq., was celebrated at the residence of the bride's parents by the Rev. Mr. Pollard, at 11 a. m., on the 25th inst. The happy couple leave by the Queen of the Pacific for San Francisco to-day, where they will locate permanently, Mr. Croft having been transferred to that city.

SUMMER EXCURSIONS.—There is no place in the world where interesting points may be as easily and cheaply visited as from Victoria. Alaska by the Idaho, the northern ports by the Boscowitz, the east coast and mainland, the Sound and San Francisco, are within the reach of all for a summer excursion. The last on the list is one provided by the O. R. & N. Co., one to the famous U. S. national park of the Yellowstone valley, abounding with beauty and grandeur, and filled with odd freaks of nature; the geysers, the falls and springs of the valley are now famous all over the world. Return tickets from Victoria will be placed at about $138.

MAMMOTH STRAWBERRIES.—Brewster & Co., Yates street, yesterday received a large invoice of large strawberries from the growers at Lake Washington, Washington Territory. These berries are famous all over the adjacent territory for their fine quality and Brewster & Co. have secured the agency.

THE following members of the *St. John's Ladies' Aid Society* will thankfully receive any contributions to their Old English Market: Mrs. Jenns, Mrs. Powell, Mrs. Rout Harvey, Mrs. R. Byrn, Mrs. Kent, Mrs. Saunders, Mrs. Blaiklock, Mrs. E. M. Johnson.

METLAKATLAH.—Mr. Duncan, who arrived from Metlakatlah on Sunday, is accompanied by three Indians, and will proceed to Ottawa to lay their grievances before the authorities there. If they do not succeed in getting them redressed, they will appeal to the Queen.


AYER'S Sarsaparilla has such concentrated, curative power, that is by far the best, cheapest and surest blood-purifier known.

### A Run on a Drug Store.

Never was such a rush made for any Drug Store as is now at A. J. Langley & Co.'s for a trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. All persons affected with Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Severe Coughs, or any affection of the Throat and Lungs, can get a Trial Bottle of this great remedy *free*, by calling at the above Drug Store. Regular size, $1. dw5


### A Volunteer Grievance.

VICTORIA, May 25th, 1885.

TO THE EDITOR:—I should like, through the aid of your valuable columns, to call attention to the liberality (!) of the Dominion government to our local militia. The men of both artillery and rifles receive for their services the munificent sum of six dollars per annum, out of which they have to purchase their ammunition for rifle practice. I believe that such a state of things does not exist in any other portion of the British empire. In England the government offer every inducement for the purpose of making the volunteers of that country good shots, which, I make bold to assert, is the essential part of a soldiers' training. I would advise our volunteers to make representations to the authorities for the purpose of making some reform in this direction. I would suggest that a limited number of cartridges be supplied to each man at the butts, free of charge, and until such a concession is made the men should refuse to pay for that which the government are morally bound to furnish to men who dedicate their time to the service of their country. As things exist it costs each man fifty cents for every 25 rounds fired, besides a fee for the marker. Many of the men can ill afford these charges besides giving their time.

VOLUNTEER.





BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders. *Sold only in Cans.*
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## J. P. DAVIES & CO.,

## AUCTIONEERS.

WE HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS from

### R. C. JANION

To sell at our Salesrooms, Wharf st.,

### Thursday, May 28th, 1885,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

THE FOLLOWING

### LINES OF GOODS,

TO CLOSE BALANCES:

15 cs Jeffrey's Pale Ale, qts.
10 do do do pts.
15 do do Stout qts.
10 do do do pts.
5 do Faustin Frere's Brandy, ½ flask.
10 do "Monogram" Red Gin.
5 do do Green Gin.
10 bxs Chance's Glass, 10x8
10 do do 13x9
10 do do 12x10
10 do do 14x10
10 do do 16x16
1 Crate, 50 doz. Bowls, 30 13 37 42.
1 do 12 doz. Bakers 10 4 11 4 12.
1 do 66 doz. Bowls, 24 36 30 30
89 ½-boxes Raisins.
7 reams 20x30 Wrapping Paper
9 reams 20x24 do
10 reams 24x34 do
5 reams 30x40 do

By order Messrs. FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE,

TO CLOSE BALANCES.

35 cs. Allsop's Ale, ea. 4 doz. qts.
125 prs. 3 point Green Blankets
12 tons Liverpool Coarse Salt
125 barrels Portland Cement
9 cs. Champagne, qts., Spackmann & Co.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
my17 Auctioneers.

## FURNITURE Auction Sale.

By JOSEPH WOLF.

THURSDAY MORNING, MAY 28TH, AT 11 O'CLOCK.

Residence of Mr. A. Allen, Cook street, between Yates and Johnson,

INSTRUCTED BY THE OWNER, I WILL SELL without reserve on the above date, the nearly new Furniture of a five-room Cottage, consisting of:

Ash and Walnut Bedroom Suite, splendid Sewing Machine in perfect order, Walnut Bedsteads, capital Tapestry Carpets, Table, Chairs, Cook Stove and Furniture, Spring Mattresses, Bedding, Silverware, Pictures, etc. Most of the Furniture has been in use but a few weeks. Mr. Allen having been called away East suddenly is compelled to sell.

THURSDAY NEXT, on the premises, Cook st., between Yates and Johnson streets.

☞ NO RESERVE. TERMS CASH.

JOSEPH WOLF,
my24 4t Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALES.

## MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

## J. P. DAVIES & CO. AUCTIONEERS.

### THE BRITISH UNION PACKING COMP'Y FRASER RIVER.

WE HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS from the Mortgagees to sell at

### PUBLIC AUCTION

Under powers contained in a Mortgage dated 12th December, 1882,

AT SALESROOMS, WHARF STREET,

### MONDAY, 1st June, 1885,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

### ALL THAT PIECE OF LAND

Said to contain FIFTEEN ACRES, situate on the North-eastern corner of the land known as Lot 54, Group 2, New Westminster District, and known as the

### BRIT. UNION PACKING CO.

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### THE BUILDINGS,

WHICH CONSIST OF

Fish Wharf and House, with Net Room above, 32x100,
Tinshop, 32x100; Can Loft, 16x100,
Main Cannery Building, with Boiler House and Solder House,
Mess House and Furniture,
Chinese House and Furniture,
Office, 20 by 30 feet.

—ALSO—

### MACHINERY AND TOOLS,

With KETTLES, TANKS and ENGINE PUMP, INJECTOR, RETORT, TABLES and CARS,
WASHING MACHINE,

### STEAM ENGINE,

With all Connections,

PULLEYS, BELTING & SHAFTING,
COOKING KETTLES, COOLERS,
SOLDERING MACHINE with Track,
SLIDING SHEAVES,
BLOCKS and TACKLE,
PRESSES, SHEARS, DIES,
TINSMITH'S TOOLS, ETC.,

THE WHOLE FORMING A

### COMPLETE PLANT

FOR THE

### CANNING OF SALMON,

AND READY FOR THIS SEASON'S BUSINESS.

A full and complete inventory can be inspected on the 23rd May, at the office of the Auctioneers.

JOSHUA DAVIES,
Auctioneer.

Particulars of Sale can be obtained from Messrs. DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN, Barristers-at-Law, Bastion Street.
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## J. P. DAVIES & CO. AUCTIONEERS.

### VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY

LOCATED ON JAMES BAY.

WE HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS TO sell by Public Auction at Salesrooms, Wharf street,

### Tuesday, June 2nd, 1885,

AT NOON,

Fourteen City Lots, known on the Official Map as

LOTS NOS. 1326 TO 1339, INCLUSIVE, IN BLOCK 45,

Bounded by Montreal, St. Lawrence, Michigan and Ontario streets.

TERMS LIBERAL—Diagrams of the Property will be ready for distribution on Monday.

Title Guaranteed. Deeds can be inspected at the office of E. M. JOHNSON, Esq., corner Government and Bastion streets.

JOSHUA DAVIES,
my13 Auctioneer.

## Ex "CAMBRIAN PRINCE,"

FROM LONDON.

### BILLIARD TABLE,

Full size, with Furniture complete; makers, Wright & Co.

—ALSO—

A number of WESTLEY RICHARDS & CO.'S newest

### GUNS, RIFLES & REVOLVERS.

FOR SALE BY

FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE,
my21 1w Wharf street.


### CARD OF THANKS.

WE RETURN OUR SINCERE THANKS TO the Fire Department for their successful efforts to protect our property on Kane street from fire this morning.

my20 MOORE & CO.


### The Roller Coaster will be Open Every Night. my9 1m

## BESIEGED DATTLEFORD.

### A Lady's Account of the Experiences of the Siege.

### THE RAVAGES OF THE INDIANS.

### The Town Ransacked, Plundered and Burned.

### A Rough Trip Across the Prairie.

(From the Winnipeg Times, May 9th.)

Among the arrivals on the western express last night were Miss Taylor and her brother, of Battleford. Miss Taylor is well known in this city, and is a sister of Mrs. Clinskill, wife of Mr. Clinskill, of the firm of Mahaffy & Clinskill, of Battleford. She has been a resident of Battleford for about a year, and was in the barracks there during the whole of the siege.

A Times reporter saw Miss Taylor this morning at the Leland house, and obtained from her a brief narrative of the experiences of the Battleford settlers since the opening of the outbreak. In answer to a question as to when the trouble first commenced, Miss Taylor said:

"It was on the evening of the last Sunday in March, the 26th, I think, that we moved into the barracks. On that day it was generally understood that Poundmaker and his warriors were on the war path, and intended to raid the settlement. For a day or so previous there had been numerous arrivals of settlers with their families from the surrounding country who reported that the Indians had left their reserves and were on the war path. In many instances these settlers had their

HOUSES RANSACKED

and their contents either destroyed or carried away, and the stock driven off by the marauding redskins. The women and children were in a state of terror, and eager to get behind the palisades of the fort. That night we ascertained that the Indians were only about thirty miles distant, and might be expected to raid the town at any moment, and it was resolved to move into the fort. We did so hurriedly, taking very little with us, many leaving everything in their houses with the intention of returning next day to remove their personal effects into the fort."

"Had you any intimation of an outbreak previous to this?"

"No, we had heard several Indian scares but every one believed that it would be a small affair, simply

A REPETITION OF THE TROUBLE

we had the previous spring. We expected that the Indians would only steal a little provisions and then go back to their reserves."

"Had you any idea of trouble before the Duck Lake fight?"

"No, it was not until after that event, not in fact until we had heard of the burning of Carlton that we learned the probability of an Indian attack."

"When did the Indians first appear at Battleford?"

"The day following that on which we went into the fort. You see we did not move a minute too soon. We lived on the south side of the river, and when we reached the fort we found the Rev. Mr. Clark, an English clergyman and principal of the Indian Industrial School, already there. He had

BEEN WARNED TO MOVE

by one of his pupils, a little Indian boy named Jack, who went with him to the fort. The lad told him that day that he had learned the Indians were coming in, and intended after killing the government officials to burn the town and then scatter over the country. He knew the boy to be reliable and moved at once to the fort."

"Where did the boys belonging to the school go?"

"They left the school and went into camp about a mile away after taking a lot of provisions from the stores.

"Did they take part in the sacking of the town?"

"No; they only took provisions and remained quiet. They all had guns."

"Did you recover your personal effects?"

"No; we all lost everything, even down to clothing, most of us having only what we had on our backs the night we went to the fort. Next morning my brother-in-law, Mr. Clinskill, went down to the river with a view of crossing and getting some of our things but found the Indians ransacking the town, and being warned that he would be killed if he went over, did not do so. The Indians stole and plundered all that day, taking all they wanted and destroyed everything else. Furniture and stoves were smashed up, and later in the day they burned the stores of the Hudson's Bay Company and Mahaffy and Clinkskill, both on the south side. All our valuables were taken and

MY SISTER LOST ALL

her wedding presents, dresses in ding a lot of valuable jewellery."

"Were not the Indians shelled from the fort?"

"Yes; but that was later on. The people in the fort knew that there were a number of settlers coming in for protection and were afraid if they killed any of the Indians they would be very infuriated and wreck their vengeance on any unfortunate settler who might fall into their hands. This was a wise course, as a number of these refugees who were then on the road arrived in the course of a couple of days uninjured, although the Indians plundered them of everything they had; taking horses, cattle, waggons, and leaving them absolutely without anything. The Indians stayed right there after, and did not leave until the arrival of the troops. We could not see them by day but at night they burnt fires, held war dances, and their signal fires could be seen blazing all over the country. One day

THEY WERE SHELLED

from the fort, but without much effect, although, it is said, several of them were killed."

"How did the time pass in the fort during the seige?"

"It was a terrible time. There were five hundred, men, women, and children, without the palisades, and although none of us suffered, we labored under the terrible apprehension that we were liable to be attacked and massacred at any moment. We had enough provisions as it was, although frequently fears were expressed that the supply would not hold out. We had to go to the river for water, but were not molested. The Indians remained on the south side. At first they were unable to cross owing to the breaking of the ice and afterwards did not attempt a crossing. There was no bridge up, it being a light temporary structure which is taken down every fall and put up again in the spring. Matters were in this condition and everyone wore an anxious look. The men continually expressed confidence of being able to hold the fort against the attack, but this did not allay the fears of the women and children, and it certainly did not look as though the poles surrounding the fort would staud much. We knew that troops were coming to our relief, and waited with feverish anxiety for their arrival. We thought they were never coming, and although they are said to have made a splendid march, you can understand our impatience, closed in as we were, and threatened with

AN ATTACK BY INDIANS,

the result of which if they overpowered us would have been fearful. Day after day came and went in this manner. Every day something occurred to increase the terror of the situation. First the news of the Frog Lake massacre arrived, and we learned that our friends there had been massacred and carried into captivity. Then we heard of the death of Barney Freeman at his farm, and that Payne had been killed on the Stoney reserve, and this chapter of horrors was climaxed by the arrival of the refugees from Fort Pitt, bringing with them the news of more bloodshed. Then poor Frank Smart was shot down and we all began to expect a similar fate. At last we heard the welcome news that Col. Otter's column was close to us, and a feeling of relief took possession of all as we felt that relief was at hand. The night before the troops arrived they camped about three miles out, and the Indians, numbering several hundred, kept up a regular pandemonium over the ruins of the town on the south side. They built huge fires, and held dances, finishing up by setting fire to Judge Bouleau's house. Shortly be arrival of the troops they packed up and skipped out, and we saw no more of them. It was a relief, and a feeling of security took possession of us that was very refreshing. The arrival of the troops at the fort was a scene not easily to be forgotten by those who had been penned up there."

"When did you leave?"

"A week ago last Wednesday. We came across the country in teams. Rev. Mr. Clarke and his wife accompanied us as far Regina. It was a rough trip and a long one. Many of the people at Battleford would like to leave, but they are afraid of the danger of crossing the plains, owing to the reports that the Indians are scattered all over."

### True, but Libelous.

A grocer in Rome, Ga., recently was convinced in an unpalatable manner that when he trusted a customer and was cheated he could not with impunity placard him as a fraud. A case involving such a privilege was recently tried in the Superior Court of the city mentioned. T. B. Veasey, a grocer in that place, posted a blackboard in front of his store with words: "Dead Beat—R. A. Welch—$6.38." Welch, who is a miller, at once commenced suit, claiming $5,000 for libel. A large number of witnesses gave testimony on both sides, and notwithstanding the fact Mr. Veasey pleaded truth in justification of his conduct, the jury awarded Welch $250 damages, thus adding further corroborative evidence to the legal truism, "that the greater the truth the greater the libel."

### Wouldn't Cut Hair on Sunday.

Among the incidents in the Fish Creek camp, last Sunday, was this, writes a correspondent with the expedition: Corporal Grant, of No. 6. Co., of the 90th, was detailed to cut Lord Melgund's hair. The gallant captain prepared himself for the occasion and the corporal approached with shears and comb in hand. But before getting to work, his Presbyterian training showed itself, and addressing the captain, he said: "I pramised my mither that I would niver work on the Sawbath, I nivir did till this day, and I won't now." and and he returned to his tent, while Lord Melgund willingly posponed the operation till the Lord's day was passed.

### Why He Wanted War.

New York Journal.

When he heard that England declined to fight,
And that Russia longed for peace,
Great Globules of moisture bedimmed his sight,
And his woe showed no surcease.
"Say, why are you wailing with such deep grief?"
A peace-loving stranger cried.
"Oh, I am a dealer in canned corn beef!"
The wisher of war replied.

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## NOTICES.

### NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO APply to the Hon Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease the following described timber land:—Commencing at a stake on the southeast corner of the section of land lately applied for by me, in Renfrew District; thence east, 80 chains; thence north, 120 chains; thence west, 320 chains; thence south, 100 chains; thence east, 80 chains, to the western line of land applied for by A. P. Bliss, containing 2,400 acres, more or less.

W. P. SAYWARD.

Victoria, April 21st, 1885. my3 1m

### NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO APply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land in Renfrew District, as follows:—

Commencing at a stake at the northeast corner of Section two; thence north, 80 chains; thence east, 80 chains; thence south, 80 chains; thence west, 80 chains, to point of commencement.

ap22 2m WM. P. SAYWARD.

### MEETING OF CREDITORS.

A MEETING OF THE CREDITORS OF William Pollard, barrister, will be held at the office of Messrs. Davie & Pooley, Langley street, Victoria, on TUESDAY, the 26th May, instant, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Creditors unable to attend will send in their claims.

H. G. HALL,
Attorney-in-fact for Wm. Pollard.

Dated 18th May, 1885. my19 7t

### NOTICE.

LOO CHEE, OTHERWISE TONG KAI, HAS NO longer any authority to act in any manner for the firm of Kwong Lee & Company. All moneys are to be paid to Loo Chuck Fan alone.

(Signed) LOO CHUCK FAN.

Witness—TYNG KANG. my16 1m

### NOTICE.

I CHUN WING FON, A PARTNER OF THE firm of Yee Wo, on Fisgard street, Victoria, hereby gives notice that no debts contracted by the firm of Yee Wo will be paid unless my signature, Chun Wing Fon, is endorsed on the order for the same. CHUNG WING FON.

Victoria, April 25th, 1885. ap26 1m

### ESTATE OF THE LATE WALTER ROSS HOUGH.

PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE estate will render them to the undersigned on or before the 1st June next; and all debtors to the estate are requested to pay their liabilities to

PETER STEELE, Executor.

Victoria, 22nd April, 1885. ap23td

### NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF THE late David Leneven are to be sent in to Messrs. Drake, Jackson & Holmcken, before 14th June next.

(Signed) EDGAR MARVIN,
Executor.

14th May, 1885. my14

### NOTICE.

SAMUEL DICKSON NESBITT HAS THIS DAY been admitted as a partner into the firm of Nesbitt & Co.

JANE A. NESBITT.

1st April, 1885. ap22 1m

### NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICAtion will be made to the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, at its next session, by and on behalf of the settlers and owners of land situate at and upon the Matsqui Prairie, upon the Fraser River, for the passage of an Act for the relief of the said settlers and owners from the provisions of the "Sumass Dyking Act, 1878," and its amendment of 1883, and to annul and declare forfeited all rights and powers heretofore conferred by the said Act and amendment upon E. L. Derby, or his assigns, to collect assessments or interest from the applicants and to repeal such Act and amendment so far as they are concerned.

Matsqui, March 6th, 1885. mh8td


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jal 1y Agents, Wharf st., Victoria.


### DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR DOMINION LAND SURVEYORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A MEETing of the Board of Examiners for Dominion Land Surveyors will be held at Victoria on the Eleventh May, Eighteen Eighty-Five.

Candidates desirous of presenting themselves before the Board will please give notice of their intention to H. S. Roebuck, Secretary, office of the Dominion Government Agent.

Any person who may show to the satisfaction of the Board that he has practiced as Provincial Land Surveyor in British Columbia before the First of January, Eighteen Eighty-five, shall be entitled to the privilege granted by clause ninety-five and sub-clause two of the Dominion Lands Act.

This privilege shall not be granted at subsequent meetings of the Board. Copies of the Dominion Lands Act may be had on application to Mr Roebuck.

E. DEVILLE, Surveyor-General,
ap19 Chairman.

### IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAND ACT, 1875.

In Re JOHN MORTON, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THREE months after the day of the date of this notice application will be made to the Honorable Mr. Justice Crease for an order authorizing the issue of a Crown Grant of the north-east quarter of Section 4 (four) Township 8 (eight), New Westminster District, British Columbia, to William McKenzie. And all or any persons claiming to have any interest in said land are required to send their objections, in writing, to such order being granted to the Registrar of the Supreme Court, at Victoria, B. C., before the expiration of thirty days from the date of this notice, of which all parties concerned are hereby required to take notice

Dated this 30th day of January, 1885.

W. NORMAN BOLE,
Solicitor for said William McKenzie
fe1 3mdw Now Westminster, B.C.


# CAUTION.

EACH PLUG OF THE

# MYRTLE NAVY

IS MARKED

# T. & B.

IN BRONZE LETTERS.

NONE OTHER IS GENUINE

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## MUNICIPAL.

### NO. 116--A BY-LAW.

RESPECTING THE FIRE LIMITS, WOODEN BUILDINGS, AND THE STORAGE OF HAY AND STRAW.

IN AMENDMENT OF THE EXISTing By-Laws be it enacted by the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. Section 2 of "The By-Law for Prohibiting the Erection of Wooden Buildings, 1879, Amendment By-Law 1883" is hereby repealed, and in lieu thereof the following substituted:

"2. That portion of the City of Victoria which is contained within the limits hereinafter described, namely—commencing at the northwest corner of lot 127, thence running easterly along the northern boundary of the said lot to Store street, thence easterly across Store street in a straight line to the centre of Fisgard street, thence easterly along the centre of Fisgard street to the centre of Douglas street, thence southerly along the centre of Douglas street to the centre of Courtenay street, thence along the centre of Courtenay street to the northeast corner lot 8, thence along the northern boundary of lot 8 to the shore of Victoria Harbor, thence along the shore line of Victoria Harbor to the point of commencement,—is hereby declared to be within the Fire Limits of the said city."

2. No addition to or alteration of any wooden building within the said fire limits shall be made.

3. No building other than with main walls of brick, iron or stone, and roofing of incombustible material, shall be erected or placed within the said fire limits.

4. It shall be lawful for the Mayor and Council of the said city to authorize by resolution any officer therein named to pull down or remove any building which shall have been constructed or placed in contravention of this Bylaw; and all expenses reasonably incurred in pulling down or removing any such building shall be repaid by the owner or owners thereof to the treasurer of the said Corporation, and shall be recoverable with costs in a summary manner before the Police Magistrate or any other Justice of the Peace having jurisdiction within the said city.

5. In this Bylaw the word "building" shall not apply to any shed within the curtilage of another building and used exclusively for the storage of fuel for consumption in such other building, such shed not exceeding ten feet by twelve feet in superficial linear measure and ten feet in height, nor shall it apply to any shed erected or to be erected wholly on or over the wooden piles of a wharf on the water front; but no shed shall hereafter be erected on any wharf within the said fire limits other than with roofing of incombustible material.

6. The quantity of hay or straw or hay and straw permitted to be stored or kept for sale or use in any building within the fire limits shall not exceed the following, namely:

For every Livery or Hack Stable, 15 tons.

For storage or sale, 15 tons.

For private consumption, 2 tons.

7. Every Bylaw or portion of a Bylaw which is inconsistent with any provision of this Bylaw is hereby repealed.

8. This Bylaw may be cited as the "Fire Limits and Wooden Building By-Law, 1885."

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of April, A. D., 1885.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council the 22nd day of April, 1885.

[L.S.] R. P. RITHET, Mayor.
JAMES D. ROBINSON, C. M. C. ap24

### NO. 117---A BY-LAW

TO AMEND THE BUILDINGS REMOVAL BY-LAW, 1884.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE MAYOR and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. Section 3 of the Buildings Removal By-Law, 1884, is hereby amended by striking out the word "Application" in the first line and substituting the word "applicant" therefor, and by striking out "$5" and substituting "$10" therefor.

2. Section 4 of the said By-Law is hereby amended by striking out the words "one hundred" between the words "least" and "dollars" and substituting the words "two hundred and fifty" therefor, and by striking out all the words after the word "dollars."

3. Section 5 of the said By-Law is hereby amended by striking out the words "any person moving" at the commencement thereof, and substituting the words "every person who has obtained permission as aforesaid to remove."

4. The said By-Law is hereby further amended by inserting therein the following clause as section 6 and by striking out the figure 6 and substituting the figure 7 at the commencement of the section now numbered "6" Every permission to remove any building as aforesaid shall state the number of days within which such removal is to be effected; and every person to whom such permission shall have been granted who shall fail to complete the removal therein sanctioned within the time therein limited therefor shall forfeit and pay to the Treasurer of the said Corporation the sum of $10 for each and every day or portion of a day that he shall be in default in the premises, and in every such case it shall be lawful for the Mayor or a majority of the Street Committee of the Council of the said City to cause the building to be removed from any street or public thoroughfare and all costs and expenses attending such removal shall be repaid by the owner or owners of such building to the Treasurer of the said Corporation, and shall be recoverable with costs in like manner as any penalty incurred for the breach of a By-Law.

5. This By-Law may be cited as "The Buildings Removal Amendment By-Law, 1885."

Passed the Municipal Council the 8th day of April, A. D. 1885.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council the 22nd day of April, 1885.

[L. S.] R. P. RITHET,
Mayor.
JAS. D. ROBINSON, C. M. C. ap24

### MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AFTER this date, Wood Roofs will not be allowed on Brick Buildings within the Fire Limits.

By order of the Mayor and Council.

JAMES D. ROBINSON, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office, 24th April, 1885. ap25

### MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, ON AND after the first day of May next, Cattle and Horses will not be allowed to graze on Beacon Hill Park, and all Cattle and Horses found grazing there on and after that date will be impounded.

By order of the Mayor and Council.

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City Clerk's Office, 24th April, 1885. ap25

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| Comox | ..... | ..... | 7 A. M. | ..... | ..... | ..... |

FRASER RIVER ROUTE.

| FROM VICTORIA FOR | MONDAY. | TUESDAY. | WEDNESDAY. | THURSDAY. | FRIDAY. | SATURDAY. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ladner's Landing, New Westminster and Pt. Hammond | 7 P. M. | ..... | 7 P. M. | ..... | 7 P. M. | ..... |
| Plumper Pass | 7 P. M. | ..... | ..... | ..... | 7 P. M. | ..... |
| Granville, Moodyville, Pt Moody | ..... | 6 A. M. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Chilliwhack | 7 P. M. | ..... | ..... | ..... | 7 P. M. | ..... |

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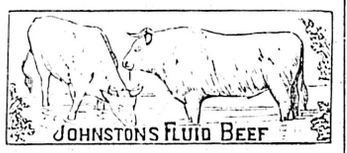
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S. DUCK,
Minister of Finance.

Treasury Department,
Victoria, 18th April, 1885. ap22

### ESTATE OF THOMAS CHARLES, DECEASED

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the above estate are requested to hand them in to the undersigned forthwith; and all persons owing the said estate will please make prompt payment to HAMILTON MOFFATT,
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Victoria, B.C., April 17th, 1885. ap18 2m


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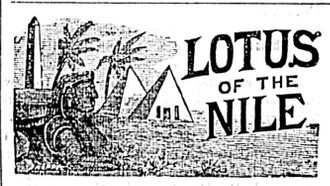

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By Command,

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
11th May, 1885. my15 1m


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